

18 February 1964

Captain W.P. Gannaway  
Special Service Bureau  
Dallas Police Department

Thru:  
Lieutenant Jack Revill  
Criminal Intelligence Section  
Special Service Bureau  
Dallas Police Department

SUBJECT: CRIMINAL INTELLIGENCE (6)  
RUTH DEAN  
AKA MRS. J.E. DEAN

Sir:

Pursuant to the instructions of Captain W.P. Gannaway an investigation was conducted with the following results.

SUBJECT, who resides at 7727 BEARDEN LANE, telephone number EV-1-6825, was interviewed by the undersigned officers this date.

SUBJECT has been employed by the MAC MILLAN PUBLISHING COMPANY for three and one half years. MAC MILLAN PUBLISHING COMPANY is located in Suite 302 in the TEXAS SCHOOLBOOK DEPOSITORY BUILDING, 411 EIM.

SUBJECT stated that she was standing on the front steps of the building with MRS. MADIE B. BEESE, 707 N. MADISON, another employee of MAC MILLAN PUBLISHING COMPANY, watching the Presidential motorcade when President Kennedy was assassinated. SUBJECT further stated that she heard the three shots fired by the assassin. SUBJECT stated that she thought the first shot was a firecracker exploding. After the second shot, SUBJECT stated that she knew it was gun shots. SUBJECT further stated that after the third shot, she knew they came from above, but she did not see anyone.

SUBJECT stated that she did not personally know LEE HARVEY OSWALD, but assumed that she had seen him since she had gone to the first floor of the building where the TEXAS SCHOOLBOOK DEPOSITORY is located, several times because MAC MILLAN uses their shipping department.



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SUBJECT also stated that she only casually knew JOE RODRIQUEZ MOLINA, but thought his name was MARINO.

SUBJECT also stated that she did not know JACK RUBY, and she had never seen RUBY around the building, or seen him talking to OSWALD.

Respectfully submitted,

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OFFICERS COMMENT: SUBJECT was cooperative during the interview.



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